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In re Application of:  
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For: METHYLTHIOADENOSINE  
PHOSPHORYLASE COMPOSITIONS  
AND METHODS OF USE IN THE  
DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT OF  
PROLIFERATIVE DISORDERS

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend this application as follows:

**In The Specification**

At page 2, line 1, insert the following:

DI --This is a continuation-in-part of application Serial No. 60/000,831, filed July 2, 1995.--

**In the Claims**

Cancel claims 1, 7, 8, 10-25, 34, 35 and 37, without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please add the following claims.